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Greetings!

Today we remember the innocents who lost their lives.

We remember the brave men and women who gave their lives in the service of others.

We remember the courage of the passengers of Flight 93, the first Americans to strike back at our attackers.

And we remember the families of the loved ones who perished.

We will never forget how on that tragic Tuesday we all stood together as Americans.

Sincerely,

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86,000 Job Openings



The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported over 5.8 million job openings in the U.S. in the month of July. In Wisconsin there are over 86,000 job postings on the state's [Job Center](#).

Many of the open positions are in fields such as Information Technology, health care, and skilled manufacturing jobs such as welding. We've done much over the past 5 years to support our workforce, from increasing worker training programs (like the Fast Forward program) to expanding relationships between employers and Wisconsin's Technical Colleges. The work of training and investing in our talented workforce to fill these high demand jobs continues and remains a top priority for Republicans in the Legislature.

Thank You!



Thank you to all of my constituents who took the time to share their thoughts and concerns at my recent listening sessions in the towns of Hudson and Kinnickinnic. Your input is welcomed and appreciated!

If you were unable to attend, you should always feel free to contact my office with your comments or questions.

Continuing H.O.P.E.

Last session, my colleague Rep. John Nygren worked to pass a package of bills to combat heroin addiction. We're continuing the fight this session. This week Rep. Nygren announced new pieces of H.O.P.E. legislation that focus on preventing addictions occur. The bills will:

- Require pharmacies to report narcotic prescriptions filled within 24 hours to the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program instead of the current 7 days,
- Expand the use of the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program to law enforcement agencies,
- Establish a pain management clinic registry and methadone clinic reporting requirements.

Hudson is one of many communities across Wisconsin that have felt the pain that heroin addiction can cause and I am grateful for Rep. Nygren's work on this important issue.

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